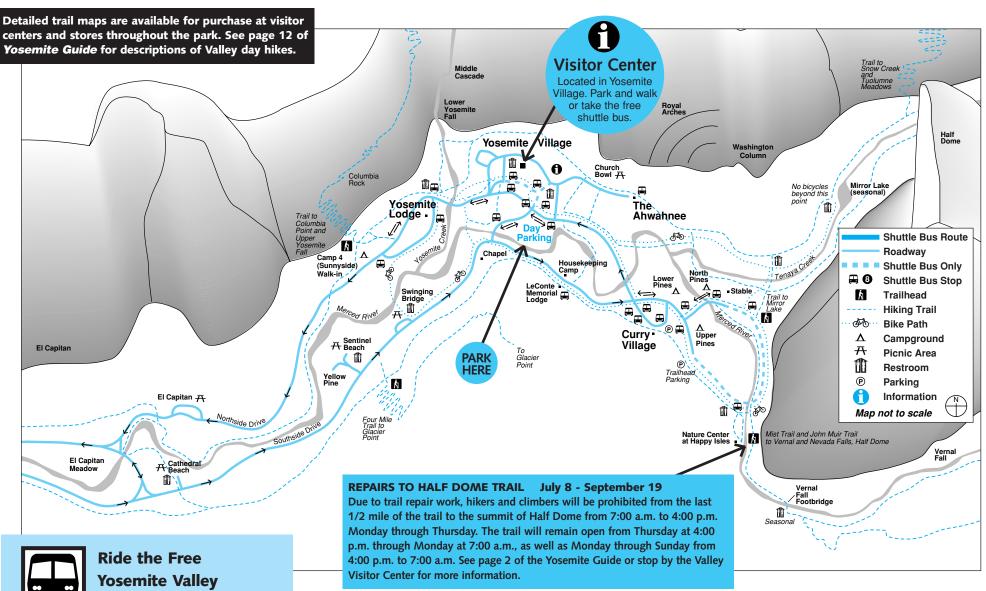
# Yosemite Today

July 2 - July 15, 2002

Hiking, Biking,

and Driving in Yosemite Valley



# **Shuttle Bus**

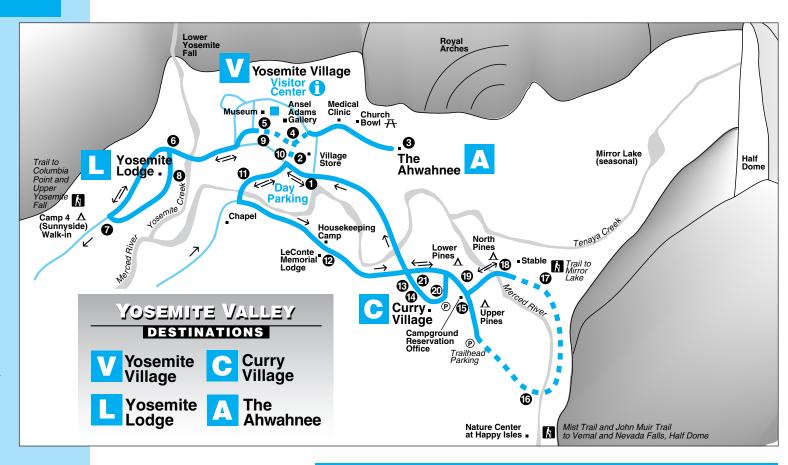
Schedules and routes may vary. Shuttle buses operate daily at 10-minute intervals, except during early morning and late evening hours when intervals may be 20 minutes. All buses follow the same route, serving stops in numerical order.

# 7:00 a.m. -10:00 p.m.

- 1 Yosemite Village/Day Parking
- 2 Yosemite Village 3 The Ahwahnee
- 4 Degnan's
- 5 Visitor Center
- 6 Lower Yosemite Fall (Service ends at 7:30 p.m.)
- 7 Camp 4/Yosemite Falls Trailhead
- 8 Yosemite Lodge
- 9 Visitor Center
- 10 Yosemite Village
- 11 Sentinel Bridge/Yosemite Chapel
- 12 Housekeeping Camp/ LeConte Memorial Lodge
- 13 Bike & Raft Rental
- (4) Curry Village
- 15 Upper Pines Campground\*
- 16 Happy Isles/John Muir Trailhead\*
- 17 Mirror Lake Junction\*
- 18 Stable\*
- 19 Lower Pines Campground
- 20 Curry Village
- 21 Bike & Raft Rental

\*Service ends at 8:30 p.m.

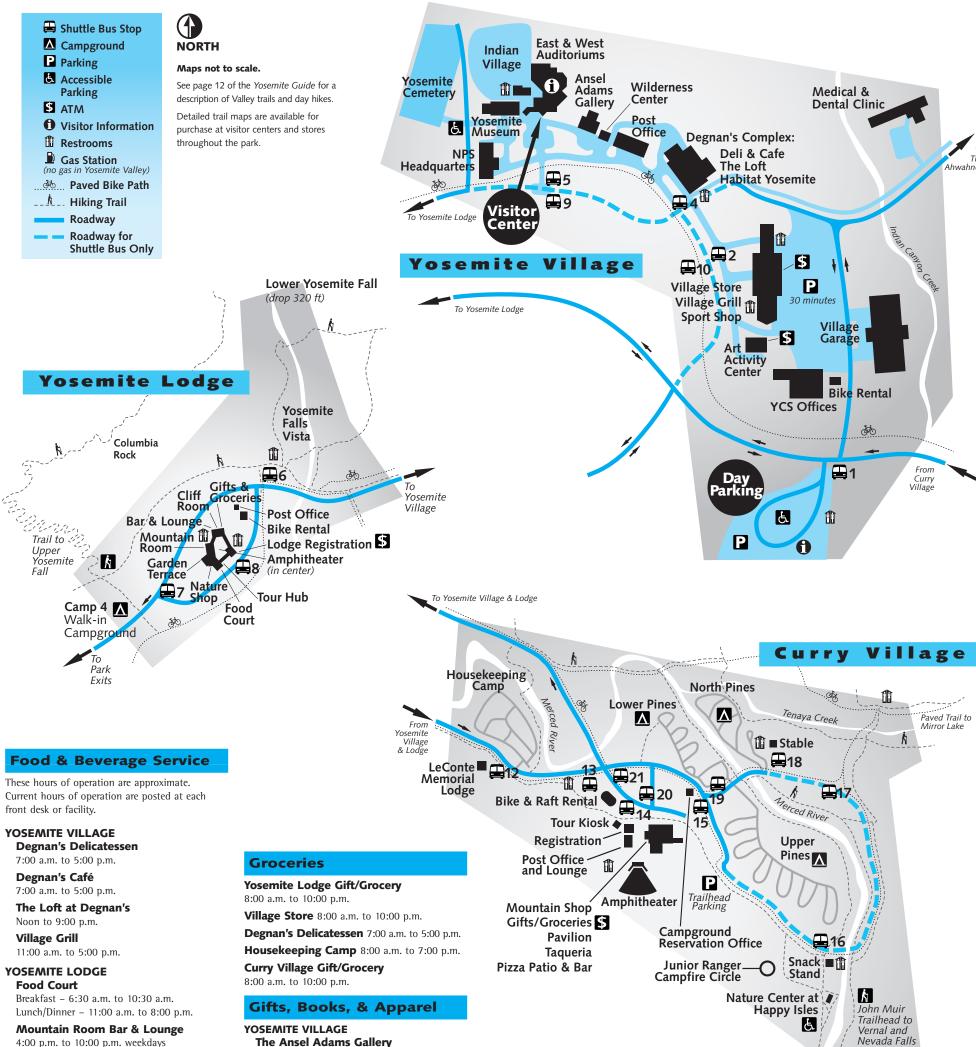
# Yosemite Valley Shuttle Bus Map



## YOSEMITE AREA REGIONAL TRANSPORTATION SYSTEM

For bus schedules to and from the Yosemite area, call 1-877-98-YARTS or visit YARTS online at www.yarts.com

# Yosemite Village, Yosemite Lodge, and Curry Village



4:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m. weekdays Noon to 10:00 p.m. weekends

**Mountain Room Restaurant** 5:30 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.

#### THE AHWAHNEE **Dining Room**

Breakfast - 7:00 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. Sunday Brunch - 7:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Lunch - 11:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Dinner - 5:30 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. Reservations and appropriate attire are respectfully requested. 209/372-1489

The Ahwahnee Bar 11:00 a.m. to 11:00 p.m.

## **CURRY VILLAGE**

**Coffee Corner** 6:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m.

## **Pavilion Buffet**

Breakfast Buffet - 7:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m. Dinner Buffet - 5:30 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

## Pizza Patio & Bar

Noon to 9:00 p.m.

## **Taqueria**

11:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

## **HAPPY ISLES**

## Snack Stand

11:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

The Ansel Adams Gallery

9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

#### **Yosemite Bookstore** 8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

Located in Visitor Center

## Yosemite Museum Store

9:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Village Store 8:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m.

Habitat Yosemite 9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

**Sport Shop** 8:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.

Art Activity Center 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Wilderness Center 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

## **NATURE CENTER AT HAPPY ISLES**

10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. (closed for lunch) YOSEMITE LODGE

## **Gift/Grocery** 8:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m.

**Nature Shop** Sunday – Friday 11:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m. Saturday 9:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m.

## THE AHWAHNEE

**Gift Shop** 8:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m. **Sweet Shop** 7:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m.

## **CURRY VILLAGE**

Mountain Shop 8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Gift/Grocery 8:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m.

# **Showers & Laundromat**

## **SHOWERS**

Curry Village 24 hours

## **LAUNDROMAT**

**Housekeeping Camp** 8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.

## Recycling

## **Village Store Recycling Center**

Noon to 4:00 p.m. Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday, and Sunday. Bottles and cans may also be returned to place of purchase or park gas stations.

## **Post Offices**

Main Post Office - Yosemite Village Monday - Friday 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Saturday 10:00 a.m. to Noon

## **Yosemite Lodge Post Office**

Monday - Thursday 11:30 a.m. to 2:45 p.m. Friday 11:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

## **Curry Village Post Office**

Monday - Friday 11:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.

## **S ATM**

## Yosemite Village

South of Village Store (Bank of America) Inside Village Store

## **Yosemite Lodge**

Inside main registration area

## **Curry Village**

Inside gift/grocery store

#### Auto Service, Towing, and Repair (AAA)

## **Village Garage**

8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Towing 24 hours. Emergency gasoline & propane available 209/372-8320

## Wawona Mariposa Grove **Glacier Point**

#### **Food & Beverage Service**

#### **WAWONA HOTEL Dining Room**

Breakfast and Buffet - 7:30 a.m. to 10:00 a.m. Sunday Buffet - 10:00 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. Lunch - 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.

Dinner - 5:30 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. Reservations taken for 8 or more. 209/375-1425

#### **GLACIER POINT**

**Snack Stand** 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

#### Grocery

#### **Wawona Grocery Store**

8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.

#### Gifts, Books, & Apparel

#### **WAWONA**

#### **Wawona Hotel Golf Shop**

8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

#### **Pioneer Gift Shop/Grocery** 8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.

**Wawona Wilderness Center** 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. (closed for lunch)

#### **MARIPOSA GROVE**

#### **Gift Shop**

9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

#### **Museum Shop** Friday - Sunday

9:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. (closed for lunch)

## **GLACIER POINT**

**Gift Shop** 

9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

Stanislau National Forest

O'Sh Dam

Sierra National Forest

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Yosemite Valley

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#### Campground Reservation **Stable** Office Wawona **Pioneer Yosemite History Center** To Wawona Campground Mariposa Grove Forest Drive & Yosemite Ŕ South Fork Merced River **1** Visitor Information Æ Station at Hil<u>l's Studio</u> P& Trail to Mariposa Store \$ Wawona Hotel Grove **Gift Shop** (6 miles) Post Office **Golf Shop** Wawona Road (Hwy. 41) **Golf Course Post Office** To South Entrance **Wawona Post Office** & Mariposa Grove Monday - Friday 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Saturday 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Meadow Loop Trail \$ ATM Wawona Inside Wawona Store

Alder Creek

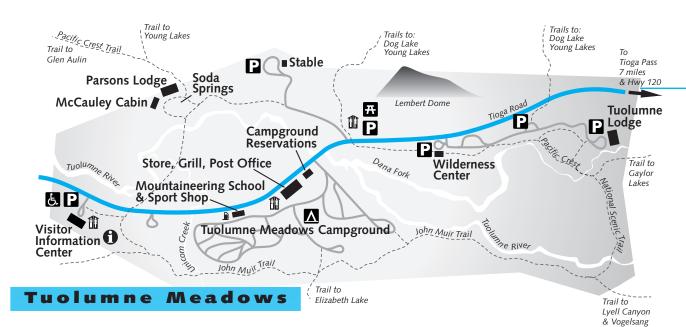
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Trail to

## **Gas Station**

#### Wawona

9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. Diesel & propane available. Pay at the pump 24 hours with credit or debit card.



# White Wolf

# ane Flat El Portal

## **Food & Beverage Service**

## WHITE WOLF LODGE

Breakfast - 7:30 a.m. to 9:30 a.m. Take-out lunch - Noon to 2:00 p.m. Dinner - 5:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. Dinner reservations advised, call 209/372-8416

## Grocery

## **Crane Flat**

Hwy 120 closed late fall-

Inyo National Forest

Ranger Station

▲ Campground Peaks and Landmarks

Gas Station

Sierra National Forest

Food Service & Lodging

Tuolumne

8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.

## El Portal Market

9:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.

# Beginning June 15, 8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.

## **Post Office**

## **El Portal Post Office**

Monday - Friday 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., 1:30 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.

## \$ ATM

On Highway 140 at Yosemite View Lodge and the El Portal Market.

## **Gas Station**

## **Crane Flat**

8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.Diesel available. Pay at the pump 24 hours with credit or debit card.

8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Diesel available. Pay at the pump 24 hours with credit or debit card.

# Tuolumne Meadows

## **Food & Beverage Service**

## **TUOLUMNE MEADOWS**

## **Tuolumne Meadows Grill**

Friday - Saturday 8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. Sunday - Thursday 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

#### **Tuolumne Meadows Lodge Dining Room**

Breakfast - 7:00 a.m. to 9:00 a.m. Box lunch order by 8:00 p.m. night before Dinner - 5:50 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. Meals are served family style and dinner reservations are required, call 209/372-8413

## **Grocery**

**Tuolumne Meadows Store** 

8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.

## Gifts, Books, & Apparel

#### **Mountaineering School and Sport Shop**

9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

**Tuolumne Meadows Bookstore** 

9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Located in the Tuolumne Meadows Visitor Center

**Tuolumne Meadows Store** 8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.

**Tuolumne Meadows Visitor Center** 

9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

## Located at shuttle stop #3

**Showers** 

**Tuolumne Meadows Lodge Showers** 24 hours for guests. Noon to 3:30 p.m. for camping public.

## **Post Office**

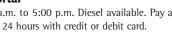
## **Tuolumne Meadows Post Office**

Monday - Friday 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Saturday 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

## **Gas Station**

## **Tuolumne Meadows**

8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Propane available. Pay at the pump 24 hours with credit or debit card.



# HELP **PREVENT** WILDFIRES!

For your safety, and to protect park resources, use or possession of fireworks is prohibited.

# General Park Information

#### **Emergency 911**

Fire - Police - Medical Emergency: Dial 911, 24 hours a day (from hotel room 9-911)

#### Information

#### **Road and Weather General Park Information**

209/372-0200 www.nps.gov/yose

**Campground Reservations** 800/436-7275 reservations.nps.gov

#### Medical

#### **Yosemite Medical Clinic**

#### Emergency care: 24 hours daily **Drop-in and Urgent Care**

Daily 8:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.

#### **Scheduled Appointments**

Monday - Friday 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Saturday 9:00 a.m. to Noon

Located on Ahwahnee Drive in Yosemite Valley, the clinic provides routine and emergency

medical care for park employees, residents, and

visitors. Experienced nursing staff, emergency physicians, nurse practitioner, and support staff on duty. Services include a limited pharmacy, lab, x-ray, and physical therapy. Services include a limited pharmacy, lab, x-ray, physical therapy, and Mountain Crisis Services for victims of domestic violence. 209/372-4637

## Paramedic/Ambulance Service

24 hours daily

#### **Dental Services**

Adjacent to Medical Clinic. For hours, call 209/372-4200. If no answer, call 209/372-4637.

**& Services For Disabled** 

entrance stations and visitor centers.

An accessibility brochure is available at park

Wheelchair rental available at Yosemite Medical Clinic, 209/372-4637, and the Yosemite Lodge bike stand, 209/372-1208.

## **Accommodations**

For advanced reservations or information (rooms or activities), call 559/252-4848 (www.yosemitepark.com) For availability on day of arrival, check at any front desk.

## **Bear Canister Rental**

Available for \$5 per trip at the Yosemite Valley Wilderness Center, Yosemite Valley Sport Shop, Curry Village Mountain Shop, Big Oak Flat Wilderness Center, Crane Flat Store, Wawona Store, Wawona Wilderness Center, Tuolumne Meadows Mountaineering School and Sport Shop, Tuolumne Meadows Store, and the Hetch Hetchy Entrance Station. Canisters may be rented or returned at any rental location in the park.

## Recreation

All listings in this section are conditions permitting.

#### YOSEMITE MOUNTAINEERING **SCHOOL AND GUIDE SERVICE**

Yosemite Mountaineering School and Guide Service offers lessons and guided climbing at all levels, overnight backpacking, and guided day hikes to spectacular areas of Yosemite Valley and the high country.

## **Curry Village**

Located in the Mountain Shop 8:30 a.m. to Noon, 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. Classes meet at 8:30 a.m. 209/372-8344

## **Tuolumne Meadows**

Located at gas station 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. 209/372-8435

#### **BICYCLE RENTAL**

Daily, weather permitting, with hourly and daily rates. Baby-joggers, wheelchairs, and six-speed bikes with trailers.

#### **Yosemite Lodge**

9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. 209/372-1208

#### **Curry Village**

8:30 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. Last return shuttle at 8:00 p.m. Located at shuttle stops #13 & 21 209/372-8319

#### **RAFTING**

10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Last return shuttle at 8:00 p.m. Raft rental located in Curry Village, shuttle stops #13 & 21 209/372-8341

#### **STABLES**

2-hour and 4-hour rides depart daily. All-day rides, private rides, and pack trips into Yosemite's spectacular wilderness may also be arranged. Private horse boarding is available. Call for reservations.

#### **Yosemite Valley**

Located at shuttle stop #18 7:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. 209/372-8348

#### 7:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. 209/375-6502

**Tuolumne Meadows** 

## 7:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. 209/372-8427

**SWIMMING POOLS Yosemite Lodge** 

9:00 a.m. to dusk

**Curry Village** 

#### 11:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Wawona Hotel

9:00 a.m. to dusk

## **Tours**

Inquire at tour/transportation desks at the following locations.

## **Yosemite Lodge Tour Desk**

8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.

#### **Yosemite Village Tour Kiosk** 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

**Curry Village Tour Kiosk** 

## 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. **SIGHTSEEING TOURS**

## **Valley Floor Tour**

This 26-mile, 2-hour tram tour departs at 10:00, 11:00 a.m., and 1:00, 2:00, and 3:00 p.m. daily from Yosemite Lodge in Yosemite Valley.\*

## **Glacier Point Tour**

A 4-hour round trip from Yosemite Valley to Glacier Point. The Glacier Point Tour also offers a one-way ticket for adventurers to hike back down to Yosemite Valley. Departs at 8:30, and 10:00 a.m., and 1:30 p.m. daily from Yosemite Lodge.\*

## **Big Trees Tram Tour**

Trams run every day in the Mariposa Grove of Giant Sequoias for a 1-hour tour through the lower and upper groves. The first tram is at 9:00 a.m. and the last tram is at 5:00 p.m., running every 15 to 20 minutes from the boarding area.\* Call 209/375-1621 for information.

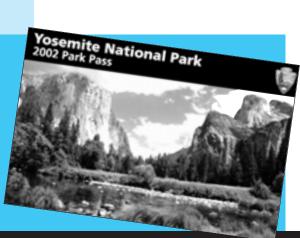
## **Grand Tour**

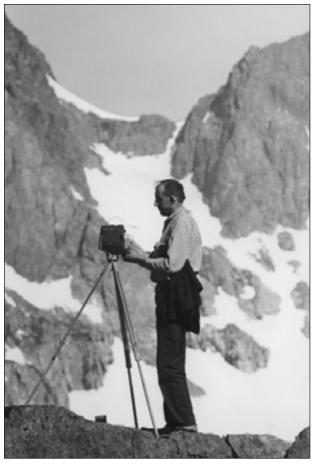
An 8-hour combination of Big Trees and Glacier Point Tours. Departs 8:45 a.m. daily from Yosemite Lodge.\*

\*Weather permitting

#### **NOW AVAILABLE! YOSEMITE ANNUAL PARK PASS**

You can now purchase a Yosemite Annual Park Pass for \$40 at all entrance stations. This collectible plastic pass is valid for unlimited entrance into Yosemite National Park for one year from the date of purchase. Each year, the pass will feature a different photograph showcasing Yosemite's spectacular scenery. Start your collection now and renew the pass every year.





## **EDGES AND**

## INTERSECTIONS

The current Yosemite Museum Gallery exhibit celebrates 100 years of Ansel Adams and Best's Studio (known today as The Ansel Adams Gallery). Original Ansel Adams photography, paintings by Harry C. Best, and family memorabilia.

Ansel Adams in the High Sierra, Randal Partridge, ca. 1935

Photo courtesy of The Ansel Adams Gallery

# **General Services**

#### ATM

#### **Yosemite Village**

South of Village Store (Bank of America) Inside Village Store

#### **Yosemite Lodge**

Inside main registration area **Curry Village** 

#### Inside gift/grocery store

Wawona

#### Inside Wawona Store El Portal

On Hwy. 140 at Yosemite View Lodge and the El Portal Market

## Miscellaneous

## **Babysitting**

Limited babysitting available for registered guests at Yosemite Lodge and The Ahwahnee. Call front desk or concierge for additional information.

## Kennel

7:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Located at the stable in Yosemite Valley. Dogs must be gentle, over 10 pounds, with proof of shots and license required. 209/372-8348

## **Service Organizations**

## Al-Anon

Yosemite Valley: Wednesday 7:00 p.m. YCS General Office Building (Employee Training Center) Yosemite Village

## **Alcoholics Anonymous**

Yosemite Valley: Sunday, Tuesday, and Thursday 7:30 p.m., YCS General Office Building (Employee Training Center), Yosemite Village

# **Narcotics Anonymous**

Yosemite Valley: Saturday 7:30 p.m. YCS General Office Building (Employee Training Centerl, Yosemite Village

## **Lions Club**

Meets first and third Thursdays of each month at noon, The Ahwahnee. Call 209/372-4475 for information.

## **Rotary International**

Meets Thursdays for lunch at noon in The Ahwahnee Mural Room. Visiting Rotarian families and guests welcome. For meeting reservations or information, call 209/372-1016.

## **Religious Services**

#### YOSEMITE COMMUNITY CHURCH

(Nondenominational Christian) Pastor Brent Moore 209/372-4831

Yosemite Valley Chapel (year-round) Worship Service and Children's Church

Sunday 9:15 a.m.

**Worship Service** 

Sunday 11:00 a.m. **Evening Worship Service** 

Thursday 7:00 p.m. **Lower Pines Campground** 

Sunday 9:00 a.m.

**Wawona Campground** Sunday 9:00 a.m.

**Tuolumne Meadows Campground** Sunday 9:00 a.m.

## **ROMAN CATHOLIC**

Rev. Raymond J. Duffy 209/372-4729

#### Mass in Yosemite Valley Visitor Center West Auditorium

Sunday 10:00 a.m. Saturday 7:30 p.m.

## Mass in Wawona

Community Center/Old School House Saturday 4:30 p.m.

#### **CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER DAY SAINTS**

Doug Warcup 209/372-4729

**Yosemite Valley Sacrament Service** 1:00 p.m. daily at Yosemite Chapel

#### **SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST** Jim McMurry 209/532-3337

Yosemite Valley at Lower Pines Campground Amphitheater (near shuttle stop #19)

#### **Sabbath School** Saturday 10:00 a.m.

**Worship Service** 

Saturday 11:00 a.m.

#### **CROSSWAY CHURCH** (Christian Protestant)

Pastor Steve Hughes 209/379-2428

## **Worship Service**

Sunday 7:30 p.m., Yosemite Chapel **Bible Study** 

#### Wednesday 7:30 p.m., Girl's Club/Yosemite Valley Library **EL PORTAL COMMUNITY CHURCH**

#### Pastor Russ Marsh 209/379-2255 **Worship Service**

Saturday 7:30 p.m. El Portal Chapel (first and third weekends) Sunday 10:30 a.m., El Portal Chapel (second, fourth, and fifth weekends)

#### **WAWONA CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP** Pastor David Adamcik 209/966-3039

**Wawona Community Center Worship Service** Sunday 9:00 a.m. Women's Bible Study